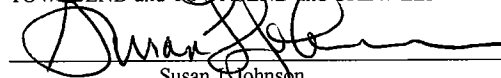


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RESPONSE TO DECISION ON PETITION

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Sir:

In response to the Decision, Applicants advise the PTO that inventor Donna E. Prunkard has signed the Supplemental Reissue Declaration after all. Therefore, the petition is moot.

Applicants request remand to the Examiner for further proceedings.

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